

LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE
Knox County EMA- 301 Park St.-Rockland, ME 04841
Web Site: www.knoxcountymaine.gov/ema

8/5/2014 LEPC Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 1030 by Andrew Hart, Chairman at Lyman Morse outside on a picnic table. Members introduced themselves to the representative from Sea Hag Seafood, Dan Engel.

Meeting Attendees:

Jeremy Pare	Lonza, Rockland	Laurie Beckwith	PBMC
Donna Allen	Knox Cty EMA Admin. Asst.	Andrew Hart	Knox County Administrator
Foner Curtis	Lonza, Rockland	Jon Vargo	FMC EHS Manager
Linwood Lothrop	KRCC Director	Jon Alspaugh	FMC Env. Rep.
Robert J. Williams	DEP		

- Laurie Beckwith made the motion to accept the minutes as corrected of the 6/3/2014 and seconded by Foner Curtis. All were in favor.

Secretary's Report:

Correspondence:

- E-mails from Robert Gardner: Executive Order 13650 (Actions to Improve Chemical Facility Safety & Security); CSB Releases Preliminary Findings into Freedom Industries Investigation; New Blast Injury App for Medical Workers;
- SERC Meeting Minutes of 7/8/14. "Robert Gardner talked about the Knox County LEPC proposal. The group thought it was good ideas but after discussion decided not to go forward with it because of the law change that would need to be made. Discussion also was taken regarding consent orders. This would allow someone to admit guilt and provide an option to pay a penalty based on matrix vs. minimum \$100.00 per day. The group did discuss updating the annual letter to remind reporters that there are penalties for reporting late. Discussion was also held regarding when a facility was late and whether it was appropriate not to consider them being late until 30 days had gone by. Also, when should the AG's office become involved?" The question was brought up who is responsible for doing all the work?
- Article from "News From Down Under"
- Contingency Plan from "The Home Depot"
- AR-1 Form – 7/15/14, 28 Masonic St, Rockland, Unknown qty released of fuel oil
- E-mail from Faith Mayer- West Volunteer FD Fatality Report. Will e-mail it to you if you want to read it; Statement from Faith that Marriner Paving is now closed.
- Newspaper articles: Boiler malfunction causes smoke to billow from FMC; FDA cites Linda Bean's lobster processing plant for health violations. Jon Vargo updated us on what had happen and the fix is.
- LEPC membership application for Daniel Engel from Sea Hag Seafood.
- Certified letter to Sea Hag RE: Notice of Potential Violations and Administrative Order Pursuant to Clean Air Act.

- **Treasurer's Report:**

Received May 2014: LEPC Grant Reimbursements: HM 8059-\$469.33; HM 8061: \$1192.22; HM 8062: \$2279.96; HM 8066-\$9519.44; Interest \$10.71

Received June 2014: LEPC Stipend: \$1225.93; LEPC Grant Reimbursements: HM 8049: \$23911.44; HM 8059: \$3081.87; HM 8060- \$390.55; HM 8061-\$3081.76; HM 8062 9116.99; HM 8071: \$25387.98; Interest \$

Bills pd out in May 2014: Personal Services: \$551.04; General Operating Expenses: \$65.38; HM 8033: \$381.82; HM 8049-\$656.61; HM 8059: \$469.33; HM 8061-\$2664.43; HM 8062 \$11396.95; HM 8066 \$927.00; HM 8071 \$10458.34

Bills pd out in June 2014: Personal Services: \$330.55; General Operating Expenses: \$58.68; HM 8049 \$ 349.00; HM 8060-\$390.55; HM 8061-\$2544.70; HM 8071- \$17477.45

LEPC Operational Fund balance as of June 2014	\$334.95
Grant and other fund balances as of June 2014	<u>\$62332.87</u>
Total balance in checkbook as of June 2014	\$62667.82

Report Approved: _____

Laurie Beckwith made the motion to accept the treasurer's report and Foner Curtis seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Training updates:

Red Cross Trainings- Larry explained the courses	8/17,20, an 26, 214	Client Casework, Shelter Fundamentals, and Disaster Services Overview – no costs for disaster related courses.	Open to all
Spill Training	June 2014	Lonza	Open to LEPC members
Safety Expo	Sept. 24, from 11-1	Lonza	Open to all

Exercises:

Jon Vargo requested to do a exercise with CNG in mid Oct with the hospital	There was some discussion and Jon will contact the EMA Office to see what can be done. It would include a Table Top, functional and a full scale exercise.
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New Business:

No new business at this time.

Old Business:

- County website online! www.knoxcountymaine.gov/lepc. Continue to need your input for LEPC content.

New/Miscellaneous Business:

- Review of the "A Guide to EPCRA and Chemicals in your Community Booklet."
Foner Curtis made the motion to table the review of the "A Guide to EPCRA and Chemicals in your Community Booklet" until the October 7, 2014 meeting, Robert Williams seconded the motion. All were in favor.
- Robert Williams said that he would not be at the next two meetings as he is having hip replacement surgery done in September. He will be laid up for 12 weeks.
- Next regular LEPC meeting will be October 7, 2014 at 10:30 AM, at the EMA Office at 301 Park St.
- Linwood Lothrop made a motion and Jeremy seconded the motion to adjourn. All in favor.

Meeting Adjourned: 11:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Allen

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LEPC Secretary